GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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NABARD LOAN UNDER RIDGs- III
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Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Union Government have received any proposals from the various States, particularly from Kerala and Bihar for the execution of projects with the assistance of NABARD under RIDF-III scheme for financial assistance to build infrastructure in rural markets along with Cold Storage facilities for farmers and distribution;

(b) if so, the details of the each project/proposal and the estimate along with target;

(c) the reasons for delay in the execution of projects under NABARD; and

(d) the steps taken by the Government for early execution of these projects?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI BALASAHEB VIKHE PATH)

(a) to (d) Nationai Bank for Agriculture and Rurai Development (NABARD) has reported that under the Rural Infrastructure Development Fund (RIDF)-MI it had not received any project relating to rural markets along with cold storage facilities from Bihar and Kerala. NABARD had, however, received projects relating to market yards from Arunachal Pradesh, Tripura, Nagaland and Karnataka under R1DF-II, IV and V. While project proposals from Nagaland and Karnataka were sanctioned under RIDF-V, some additional information have been sought for from Arunachal Pradesh and Tripura and the same are yet to be furnished by the State Governments.